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US 2002/0008116	Discloses supplement compartment for beverage container.
US 20003/0000910	Discloses cap for packing-bottle capable of packing auxiliary internal medicine.
US 2002/0166835	Discloses cap with flip-top compartment.
WO 03/037739	Discloses container/bottle cap with a storage compartment.
GB 2 390 361	Discloses closure for containers having integral container.

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